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Social and Personal

YOUNGER society will be vastly entertained this evening at the opening dance to be given in the ball room of the Masonic Temple at 9 o'clock by the Hatcher's Cotillion Club. This new german club has been a source of much interesting comment for the past several weeks, and the dance this evening will be an unusually brilliant affair. Chaperons for the german are Mrs. R. Carter Scott, Mrs. Fred Pleasant, Mrs. Henry London Cabell and Mrs. E. P. Valentine.

Malvern C. Patterson will be host at dinner at 8 o'clock this evening in honor of his guest, Oscar Underwood, of Alabama. The dinner will be given in the Commonwealth Club and will be a stag affair.

Fraser-Ware.
Mr. and Mrs. Herbert W. Ware announce the engagement of their daughter, Virginia Irving, to the Rev. Goodwin Fraser, of Locust Dale, Madison county. The marriage will be celebrated the latter part of the coming month.

Wedding of Interest.
A wedding of interest to Virginia and South Carolina society took place on Thursday afternoon, December 21, when Miss Lillian R. Daily, daughter of Captain and Mrs. John R. Daily, became the bride of Dr. W. T. C. Bates. The wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Dantler, of St. Matthews, S. C. The bride wore a gown of white crepe meteor over mull, with pearl trimmings, and a white picture hat trimmed in white plumes. She carried a shower bouquet of lilies of the valley and hyacinths. Her only ornament was a diamond and pearl necklace, a gift of the groom. The house was decorated with holly, Southern smilax and ferns, and the ceremony was performed by Rev.

John Kershaw, D. D., rector of St. Michael's Episcopal Church, Charleston, S. C.

Dr. and Mrs. Bates will reside in St. Matthews, S. C., on their return from an extended wedding trip.

Announcement Cards.
Cards have been received in Richmond announcing the marriage of Miss Annie Louise Taylor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Taylor, to Philip Haxall Latimer, formerly of this city. The ceremony took place on Saturday, December 23, at "The Oaks," the home of the bride's parents, near Parkwood, Ga., with only a few relatives and friends present.

Christmas House Party.
Mr. and Mrs. J. Haskins Hobson entertained a very delightful party for the past week-end at their country place, "Mount Airy," in Powhatan county. Mr. and Mrs. Hobson had as their guests for Christmas night and Mrs. Charles E. Ashburner and children, of Lynchburg; T. M. Hobson, of this city; Macon Hobson, of Baltimore; St. George Cooke, of Richmond; Dr. S. W. Hobson, of Newport News; John Hobson, of Schenectady, N. Y.; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Davy Eaglesfield, of Indianapolis, Ind., and James R. Werth, Jr., of New York.

Rehearsal This Afternoon.
The next rehearsal for the entertainment and dance to be given at the Jefferson Club on Thursday night will take place this afternoon at half-after 2 o'clock, in Hofheimer's Hall, over Station A. All children to take part in the affair are asked to be present at this rehearsal.

Of Interest Here.
Says a recent issue of the Washington Post:

"A beautiful wedding took place Wednesday, December 20, at Beulah Church, Fairfax county, when Miss Nellie Talbot, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Talbot, became the bride of Mr. Alfred Dowling. The ceremony took place at 4 o'clock in the afternoon. The bride was given in marriage by her father, and attended by Miss Elton Bowling as maid of honor, Mrs. Evangeline Talbot Henshaw, of Alexandria, and Miss Mary Lindsey Triplett, a school friend, Zachariah Talbot, brother of the bride, was best man.

"The bride wore a gown of brown broadcloth, trimmed with cloth of gold, and hat and gloves to match, and a corsage bouquet of yellow roses. Her attendants wore gowns in contrasting colors, with white lace, trimmed with willow plumes, and carried white roses. Rev. E. F. Lankford officiated. Everett Triplett and Malcolm McLean, the latter of Seattle, Wash., were ushers. White ribbon marked the pews reserved for the family.

"A supper was served after the ceremony at the home of the bride's parents, and later the bridegroom and bride left for the South. They will be at home after January 15."

Engagement Announced.
Mr. and Mrs. John A. Kratz have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Katherine Floy, to David Eving Sergeant, of Greensboro, N. C., the ceremony to take place on Tuesday evening, January 2, at 8 o'clock in the home of the bride's parents, 1915 Jefferson Park.

Important Meeting.
The Confederate Memorial Literary Society will hold its regular monthly meeting to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock in the Confederate Museum. All members of this organization are urged to be present at this meeting, as business of importance will be discussed.

In and Out of Town.
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pickett Stokes have recently returned from Bermuda, and are in Richmond this week.

Fred G. Pollard is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Pollard, for the holiday season.

Miss Sophie Garlick, of North Carolina, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Arthur Stinton, on West Franklin Park.

Carl Walker, formerly of this city, now of New York, has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Walker, on Park Avenue.

Mrs. W. Withers Miller and children, of 552 West Grace street, are spending some time in Brunswick county.

Miss Rebecca Davis is the guest of her mother, Mrs. R. C. Davis, at her home, 115 South Third Street.

John Harvie, formerly of this city, but lately of New York, is spending this week in Richmond.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Pratt and daughter, of Boston, Mass., are visiting Mrs. Pratt's mother, Mrs. E. J. Gorman, of 1114 Floyd Avenue.

Miss Helen Fisher, of Ginter Park, left this week for Peterson, N. J., where she will spend the winter with her brother, Edward C. Fisher.

Mrs. Armistead L. Wellford, of Cathedral Place, is in Lexington for the holiday season.

Bert Chandler, of Philadelphia, is spending several days with friends in Richmond.

W. Hodges Mann, Jr., is a guest of Governor and Mrs. Mann at the Executive Mansion.

Negro Resists Arrest.
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
Lynchburg, Va., December 25.—Considerable excitement was caused in Main Street here this afternoon, when a negro, Robert Grim, attempted to shoot Policeman Clark, while resisting him on the charge of shooting at a white man, J. C. Bostain, in an arrest attempt, to-day. The policeman, knocked the negro down, and then Grim attempted to use his pistol inside his trousers' pocket. A dozen men saw the negro's intent and rushed upon him. Then it required hard work to keep a big crowd from handling the negro roughly.

Alleged Forger Arrested.
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
Clifton Forge, Va., December 25.—C. N. Key, alias Crawford, Williams and Sullivan, was arrested here to-day by Detective A. M. Richardson in the Young Men's Christian Association. After being placed in jail Keys is said to have admitted that he is a "check flasher" wanted in Bristol. Under the name of Maxey R. Sullivan, this prisoner says he served in the United States Army and is a deserter. The Bristol authorities have been notified of his arrest.

POLICEMAN IS HELD FOR SUNDAY KILLING.
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
Bristol, Va., December 25.—For the killing of Bradley Henry, the Abingdon liverman, who was shot down at the home of J. W. Wright in Abingdon, late Sunday night, Policeman Jack Clark was held to court in a bond of \$250, although the court held that the shooting was justifiable.

Clark went to the home of Wright to make an arrest on account of alleged drunkenness and disorderly conduct. He met with resistance on the part of Bradley Henry, who fired upon him twice, and together with others in the party, beat the officer over the head. Clark turned upon Henry with a revolver and shot him dead, after which he shot Joe Henry, a son of the dead man, the ball lodging in his shoulder.



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With a rush and shout. Fate gave him one of her stingers Now he's canvassing for wringers

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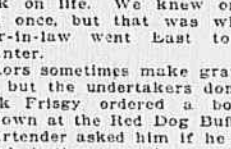
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